

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Marco RUZZIER et al.)	Group Art Unit: 1791
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Application No.: 10/522,557)	Examiner: Belyaev, Yana
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Filed: August 18, 2006)	
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For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR)	Confirmation No.: 8847
MEASURING THE WEIGHT OF)	
AN OPTICAL FIBER PREFORM)	<u>Filed via EFS-Web</u>
DURING A CHEMICAL)	
DEPOSITION PROCESS FOR)	
FORMING THE PREFORM)	

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In reply to the Office Action mailed June 10, the period for response having been extended to October 11, 2010 (October 10 being a Sunday) by a request for extension of one (1) month and fee payment filed herewith, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the claim amendments section of this paper.